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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA BILLINGS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

ALDO FABRIZIO PARDINI, JORGE LUIS MENDEZ-SANCHEZ, and JOSE JESUS ISLAVA-LOPEZ

Defendants.

CR 18- 102-BLG-59い

INDICTMENT

CONSPIRACY TO POSSESS WITH THE INTENT TO DISTRIBUTE AND TO DISTRIBUTE METHAMPHETAMINE (Count I)

Title 21 U.S.C. § 846

(Penalty: Mandatory minimum ten years to life imprisonment, \$10,000,000 fine, and at least five years supervised release)

POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DISTRIBUTE METHAMPHETAMINE (Count II)

Title 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) and

Title 18 U.S.C. § 2

(Penalty: Mandatory minimum ten years to life imprisonment, \$10,000,000 fine, and at least five years supervised release)

TITLE 21 PENALTIES MAY BE ENHANCED BY PRIOR DRUG-
RELATED FELONY CONVICTIONS

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT I

That in or about July 2018, at Billings, within Yellowstone County and elsewhere, in the State and District of Montana, the defendants, ALDO FABRIZIO PARDINI, JORGE LUIS MENDEZ-SANCHEZ, and JOSE JESUS ISLAVA-LOPEZ, together with others both known and unknown to the Grand Jury, knowingly conspired and agreed to distribute, and to possess with the intent to distribute, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), 500 or more grams of a substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846.

COUNT II

That on or about July 10, 2018, at Billings, within Yellowstone County, in the State and District of Montana, the defendants, ALDO FABRIZIO PARDINI, JORGE LUIS MENDEZ-SANCHEZ, and JOSE JESUS ISLAVA-LOPEZ, knowingly possessed, with the intent to distribute, 500 or more grams of a substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, and aided and abetted the same, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) and 18 U.S.C. § 2.

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